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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS AND
IMAGE WRITE START POSITION ADJUSTING METHOD FOR THE SAME

Enclosed are:

- ☒ [X] TEN (10) sheets of formal drawings, Figures 1-10C.
- ☒ [x] An Assignment of the invention to CANON KABUSHIKI KAISHA
- ☒ [X] The application claims priority from Japanese Application 2003-046253 filed February 24, 2003.
- ☐ [] A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.
- ☒ [X] A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☐ [] Small entity status is claimed under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.





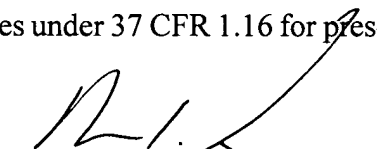
☐ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

☒ An Information Disclosure Statement.

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Total					
Claims	22 - 20 =	2	x \$ 18.00 =	\$ 36.00	
Independent					
Claims	8 - 3 =	5	x \$ 86.00 =	430.00	
Multiple Dependent Claim(s) (if applicable)			+ \$ 290.00 =	<u>0.00</u>	
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